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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Padmanabhan Sreenivasan et al.	Examiner:	Ramsey Refai
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Title	MAINTAINING MEMBERSHIP IN HIGH AVAILABILITY COMPUTING SYSTEMS		

PETITION FOR A TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a two-month extension of time be granted in which to file the Request for Continued Examination, said period of response being extended from August 14, 2006 to October 16, 2006.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0743 in the amount of \$450.00 to cover the required extension fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to deposit Account No. 19-0743.

Respectfully Submitted

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